

## ABSTRACT

In a closure device for the fluid delivery line of a high-pressure cleaning apparatus having arranged in the fluid delivery line a closure member which is pressed with a closing force against a valve seat and thereby closes the fluid delivery line, and which is liftable off the valve seat by a mechanical actuating element displaceable by a hand lever and extending in a sealed manner out of the fluid delivery line, when the hand lever is moved in the direction of an open position, in order to reduce the holding forces when the hand spray gun is open, it is proposed that downstream of the valve seat in the fluid delivery line a displaceably mounted piston extend in a sealed manner out of the fluid delivery line and upon being pushed out of the fluid delivery line cooperate with the hand lever in such a manner that the hand lever is moved in the direction towards its open position.